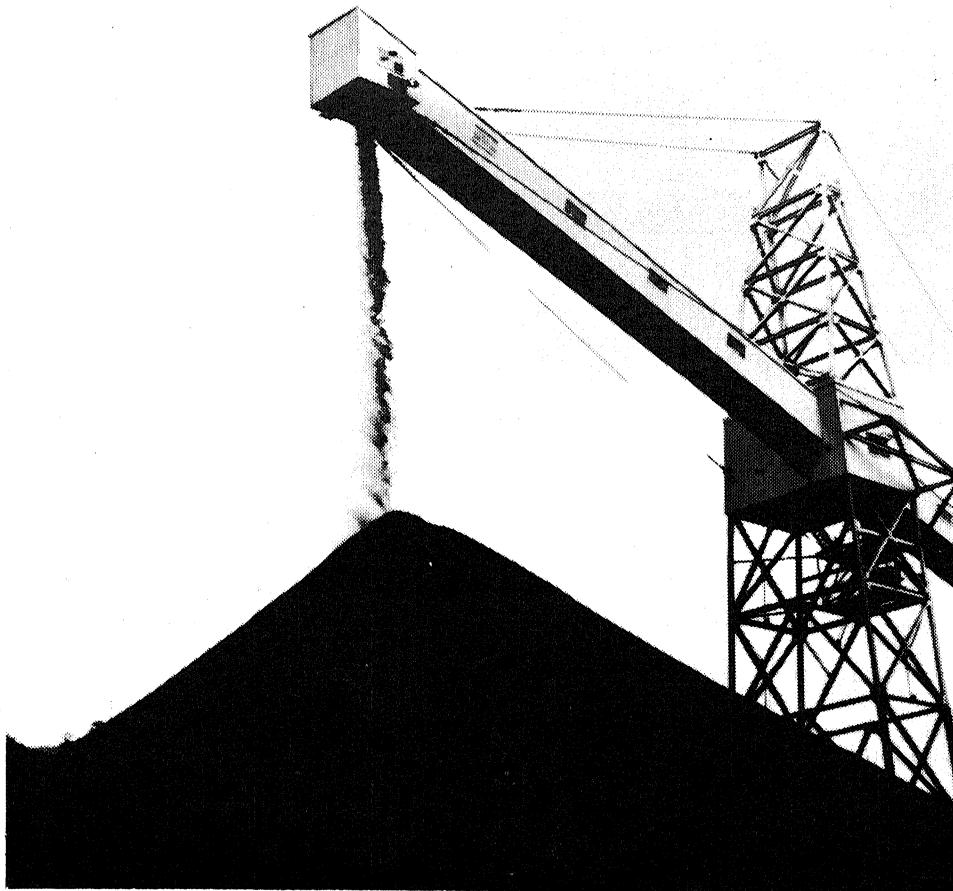


Weekly Coal Production

Production for Week Ended:
August 1, 1987



Highlights

U.S. coal production in the week ended August 1, 1987, as estimated by the Energy Information Administration, totaled 17.6 million short tons (bituminous coal and lignite, nearly 17.6 million short tons; Pennsylvania anthracite, .07 million short tons). This was 2.1 percent higher than in the previous week, and was 1.2 percent higher than production in the corresponding week of 1986.

Cumulative U.S. coal production from January 1 through August 1, 1987, was estimated at 515.1 million short tons, 1.6 percent below the 523.7 million short tons produced in the comparable period in 1986.

The methodology used to make weekly estimates of coal production was published in the Weekly Coal Production (DOE/EIA-0218(86/35)), released for publication on September 8, 1986.

Figure 1. Coal Production

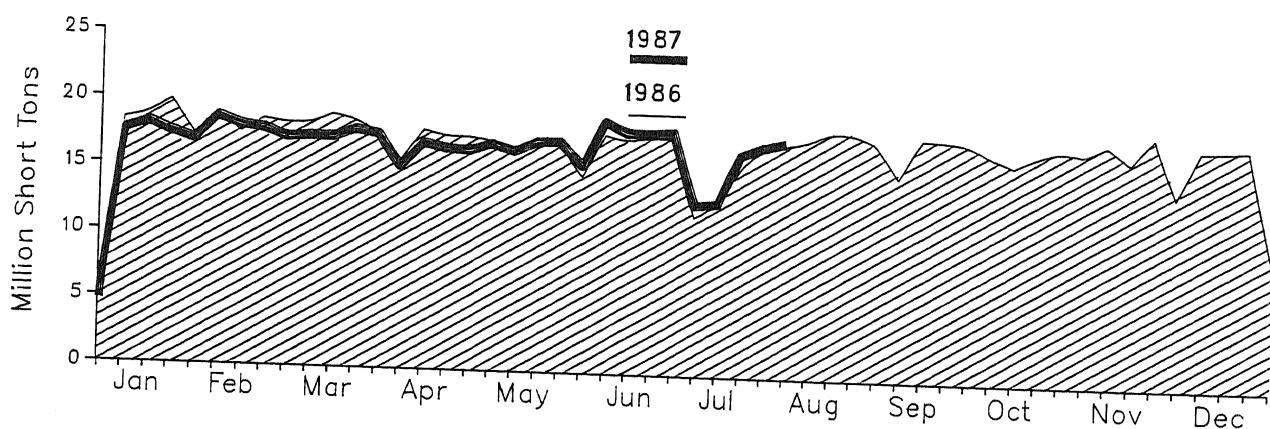


Table 2. Coal Production by State
 (Thousand Short Tons)

Region and State	Week Ended		
	08/01/87	07/25/87	08/02/86
Bituminous Coal¹ and Lignite			
East of the Mississippi			
Alabama	11,023	11,094	10,978
Illinois	448	483	453
Indiana	993	1,023	1,339
Kentucky	625	646	591
Kentucky, Eastern	3,168	3,173	3,238
Kentucky, Western	2,281	2,285	2,485
Maryland	887	888	753
Ohio	93	92	83
Pennsylvania Bituminous	714	714	675
Tennessee	1,398	1,374	1,246
Virginia	113	128	116
West Virginia	793	794	808
West of the Mississippi	2,678	2,667	2,428
Alaska	6,542	6,104	6,370
Arizona	23	22	28
Arkansas	203	199	198
Colorado	1	1	1
Iowa	312	297	266
Kansas	8	8	9
Louisiana	12	12	14
Missouri	68	53	52
Montana	107	104	105
New Mexico	648	589	697
North Dakota	390	186	383
Oklahoma	550	502	500
Texas	61	55	57
Utah	1,066	1,045	1,025
Washington	328	324	209
Wyoming	79	78	82
Bituminous ¹ and Lignite Total	2,686	2,629	2,745
Pennsylvania Anthracite	17,565	17,198	17,348
U.S. Total	65	65	76
	17,630	17,263	17,424

¹Includes subbituminous coal.

Note: 1986 and 1987 data are preliminary. Total may not equal sum of components because of independent rounding.

Sources: Association of American Railroads, Transportation Division, Weekly Statement CS-54A; Energy Information Administration, Form EIA-6, "Coal Distribution Report" and State mining agency coal production reports.

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